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## **“Right vs. Wrong – The Bottom Line on Ethics”**

Liberman, Vadim. "Right vs. Wrong -- The Bottom Line on Ethics." Across The Board July/Aug 2003: 59-60.

**Refer to a dictionary and/or on-line resources for the first two questions.**

1. Using a dictionary, define ethics. (2)
2. Using your own ideas and considering the human services field, identify two circumstances in which ethics would be called into question. (2)

**Refer to article titled “Right vs. Wrong – The Bottom Line on Ethics” for remaining questions:**

3. Exhibiting proper ethics can lead to what? (4)
4. Do you agree with the authors following argument? Why or why not?  
*“So I argue that balance—not the bottom line—should guide an individual’s behavior”.* (2)
5. According to the author, would you agree that businesses *are* concerned with ethics on the job? Please explain your answer. (2)

6. Does law and showing proper ethics ever clash? Please explain your reasoning. (2)
7. According to the author, what component is the leading factor that leads to unethical behavior? Would you agree? Please explain your reasoning? (2)
8. Do you believe that the United States is heading in the wrong moral direction? Please give examples. (2)

